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1. T. Kasuga et al., "Formation of Titanium Oxide Nanotube", Langmuir 1998, 14, pp. 3160-3163.
2. T. Kasuga et al., "Titania Nanotubes Prepared by Chemical Processing", Advanced Materials, 1999, 11, No. 15, pp. 1307-1311.

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

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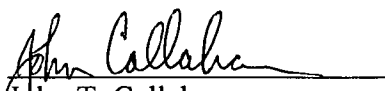
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